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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/06/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 05/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/19/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 05/06/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/06/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/06/2005
- Assignee Statement for PGPUB filed on 05/06/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$100 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$100 for a Small Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 100
  - \$100 for 1 independent claims over 3.

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# ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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